Chaplaincy Logistical Support Package (CLSP)

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System Description

MISSION:
Provide Brigade and Battalion Level Unit Ministry Teams (UMTs) the Capability to Carry Ecclesiastical Supplies, Administrative Supplies and Computer Hardware (Not included) in a Consolidated Package and to Perform as a Workstation and Portable Altar

CHARACTERISTICS

- Carries
  - *1 or 2 Packed Chaplain Resupply Kits*
  - *Notebook Computer w/printer*
  - *Assorted Publications*
  - *Forms*
  - *Personal Religious Items*
- Function As a Workstation/Altar to Accommodate UMT Staff and Worship functions

SPECIAL FEATURES

- < 154 lbs
- Fit/Transport in HMMWV
- CTA item

CAPABILITY IMPROVEMENTS

- The Chaplaincy Does Not Have a Consolidated Means of Packaging Both Logistical & Administrative Supplies

CONTRACT ISSUES

- Cost Effectiveness of Combining Chaplaincy & Field Desk Requirements

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CLSP is designed to enhance the capability of Brigade and Battalion Unit Ministry Teams (UMT) to carry supplies in a consolidated package on the battlefield and to function as a workstation and portable altar

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- **It is designed to carry ecclesiastical, administrative and automation supplies:**
  - *two "Chaplain Kit, Consumable"*
  - *a laptop computer*
  - *portable printer*
  - *peripheral devices*
  - *manuals, bond paper*
  - *administrative supplies*
- **It is designed to be water and dust resistant.**

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- **CLSP is designed to function as a workstation.**
- **As a workstation it can be used:**
  - *with the table attached to the desk section (2 legs) or*
  - *with the table in a freestanding configuration (4 legs).*
  - *Includes a folding chair*
  - *At desk height or enhanced desk height (for tall persons),*

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- **CLSP is designed to function as a portable altar:**
  - *Legs extend to 40”*
  - *Includes a set of washable altar linens*
    - **Seasonal hangings (red, green, purple, white)**
    - **Fair linen**
    - **Carry bag attaches to the underside of the table/altar.**

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Schedule/Budget Overview

Task/Milestone	FY99 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	FY00 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	FY01 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	FY02 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	FY03 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	FY04 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	FY05 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	FY06 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	FY07 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4
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Market Research									
MS I/II									
Acquire Test Units									
Evaluation/Assessment									
MS III/TC									
Handoff to DSCP									
Material Release/IOC									
BES 01 RDTE Required ($K)	0	175	300	0	0	0	0	0	0
Funded ($K)	0	175	300	0	0	0	0	0	0
UFR ($K)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OPA Required ($K)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Funded ($K)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
UFR ($K)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Quantity (AAO=1,500)	00	24	0	00	00	00	00	00	00

ACQUISITION STRATEGY

- **Procurement/Integration of Commercial and Existing DoD Systems**

Army Initiatives Supported

- [x] Lighter Weight
- [x] Rapid Deployment Capability
- [x] Reduced Footprint
- [ ] Reduced Resource Consumption
- [ ] Single Battlefield Fuel

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Technical Testing

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- **Developmental/Technical Testing is complete.**
- **CLSP passed all tests**
  - *Cold Test* *PASSED*
  - *Hot Test* *PASSED*
  - *Humid Test* *PASSED*
  - *Rain Test* *PASSED*
  - *Altar Load Test* *PASSED*
  - *Dust test* *PASSED*
  - *Drop test* *PASSED*
  - *Puncture test* *PASSED*

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User Test Locations

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Qty	Location	Unit/Organization
8	Ft. Hood, TX **SHIPPED + RECEIVED**	III Corps
3	Ft. Lewis, WA **SHIPPED + RECEIVED**	Transition Brigade
3	Germany **SHIPPED**	V Corps
3	Camp Casey, Korea **SHIPPED**	2ID
2	Camp Doha, Kuwait **SHIPPED**	3rd Army
2	Guatemala **SHIPPED**	USAR
3	SBCCOM (3-testing)	PM-SSPT/ATEC, APG, MD
24 Total		

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Future Actions

- Technical Testing and User Evaluation feedback will enable us to refine a Performance Specification.
- We are currently working a MOA with DSCP for the handoff of CLSP for production.
- At the end of FY01, we will provide DSCP with a final Performance Specification.
- DSCP will resource the NSN (9925-01-479-5319) and sub-assembly NSNs with a contract for CLSP items.
- Once contractor begins deliveries, UMTs will be able to receive CLSPs.

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CLSP Questions

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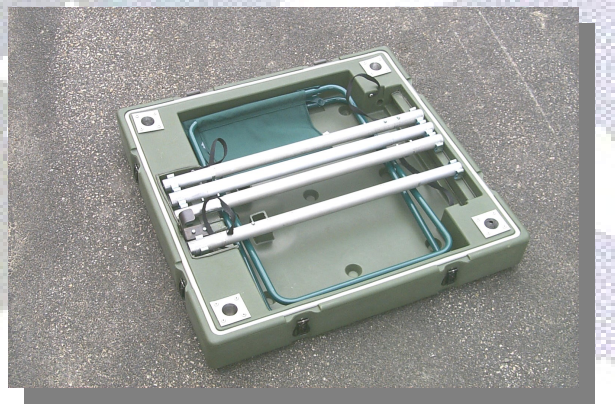

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